

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
ATLANTA DIVISION**

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| ANDREW LECHTER, et al., |) |
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| <i>Plaintiffs,</i> |) |
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| v. |) |
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| | CASE NO. <u>1:20-CV-01325-AT</u> |
| APRIO, LLP f/k/a HABIF, AROGETI |) |
| & WYNNE, LLP, et al. |) |
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| | JURY DEMAND |
| <i>Defendants.</i> |) |
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**STIPULATION FOR DISMISSAL
DEFENDANT JAMES JOWERS WITHOUT PREJUDICE**

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(ii), Plaintiffs and Defendants stipulate that Defendant James Jowers be dismissed *without prejudice* with Plaintiffs and Jowers bearing their own attorneys' fees and costs.

Date: June 6, 2022

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this brief has been prepared with one of the font and point selections approved by the Court in Local Rule 5.1(C), specifically, Times New Roman, 14 point.

This 6th day of June, 2022.

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The undersigned certifies that on June 6, 2022, a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was filed with the Clerk of the Court by using the CM/ECF system.

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